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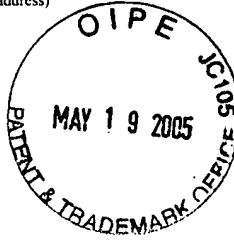
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APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
09/543,604	04/05/2000	Dieter Mueller	81208-246298	6492

TITLE OF INVENTION: REDUCED COHERENCE SYMMETRIC GRAZING INCIDENCE DIFFERENTIAL INTERFEROMETER

APPLN. TYPE	SMALL ENTITY	ISSUE FEE	PUBLICATION FEE	TOTAL FEE(S) DUE	DATE DUE
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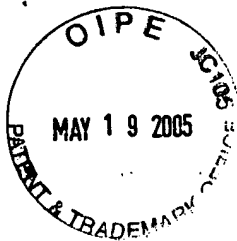
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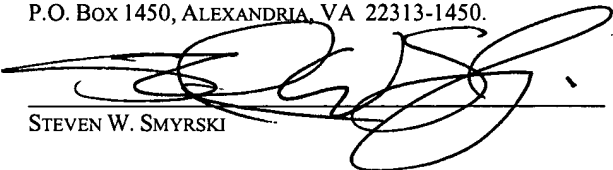
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In re application of:

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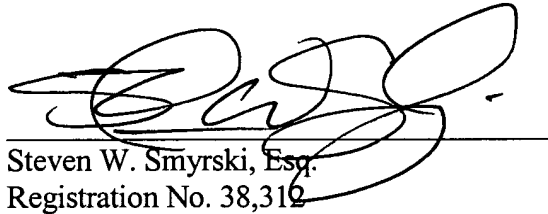
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